

HUGE FIRES RAGE IN BERLIN AFTER FURIOUS NIGHT ATTACK BY THE RAF; RED ARMY CONDUCTS NEW OFFENSIVE

Round-the-Clock British - American Aerial Offensive
Against Hitler's Europe Continues — Russians
Threaten to Smash Into Northern Romanian Province
of Bucovina.

By International News Service

Huge fires raged in Berlin today after a furious night attack by the Royal Air Force which rained down an estimated 2,240 tons of bombs on the battered Nazi capital.

Several hundred British heavy bombers participated in the raid, which followed on the heels of a 1,000-plane American daylight assault against five key Nazi war centers.

The initial Air Ministry communiqué failed to mention losses, but the German DNB agency came forth with the obviously-exaggerated boast that 94 RAF planes were destroyed and eight others probably were downed.

The round-the-clock British-American aerial offensive against Hitler's Europe appeared continuing with another daylight blow against the Reich. The German radio warned early this morning that "major" Allied formations were over northwestern and central Germany.

On the eastern front, the Red Army, developing another of its seemingly-endless string of new offensives, threatened to smash into the northern Romanian province of Bucovina after thundering forward some 62 miles in four days.

After smashing a Nazi counter-offensive, Marshal Gregory Zhukov's first Ukrainian Army pounded south from by-passed Tarnopol in old Poland and reached the upper Dniester River, which is the frontier of Bucovina. In their forward surge the Soviet tank columns liberated more than 400 enemy-held towns and villages, killed upwards of 20,000 German troops and captured another 3,000 Nazis.

The upper Dniester was reached at Zaleszyk, 25 miles northwest of the Pruth River stronghold of Cernauti, which is the capital of Bucovina province and the center of railroads radiating into Czechoslovakia, Poland, southern Romania and Hungary. Zhukov's men also were within 60 miles of the former border of Czechoslovakia.

Unofficial reports dealing with fighting far to the south said Red Army spearheads were engaged in bitter street battles with the enemy garrison in the suburbs of Nikolayev, which is an important German naval base at the mouth of the Bug River.

Farmer Injured As Barn Collapses

When an old barn on his farm in Doylestown township collapsed late yesterday afternoon, William W. Stehr, 85, prominent Bucks county farmer, was buried in the debris of stone and old lumber. His screams were heard by neighboring farmers, but it was nearly an hour before he could be rescued from the collapsed building.

The Doylestown fire company was called to assist in rescue work and Mr. Stehr, with a broken leg and numerous other injuries, was rushed to Abington Memorial Hospital. Mr. Stehr and an invalid son lived alone on the farm.

Pfc. Walter Colbert, Valley Forge Hospital, spent the week-end visiting friends in Bristol.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M. AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings
Maximum 56 F
Minimum 38 F
Range 18 F

Hourly Temperatures
8 a. m. yesterday 43
9 45
10 47
11 47
12 noon 49
1 p. m. 50
2 52
3 54
4 55
5 56
6 55
7 53
8 51
9 50
10 48
11 44
12 midnight 42
1 a. m. today 42
2 41
3 40
4 39
5 38
6 38
7 38
8 38

P. C. Relative Humidity 84
Precipitation (inches) 0

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water 4.38 a. m.; 5.02 p. m.
Low water 11.46 a. m.

Guest of Honor At Party Upon Her Return

Mrs. Albert White, Lafayette St., who recently returned from an extended visit with her husband, Pvt. Albert White, who is stationed at Fort Custer, Mich., was the guest of honor at a party held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Schuyler White, Lafayette street.

The affair was a surprise to Mrs. White. The evening was enjoyed in a social way and "movies" were shown by Lamont White. Refreshments were served and the decorations were pink and blue, with a bouquet of flowers forming the centerpiece on the table. Mrs. White was presented with gifts.

Those attending were: Mrs. Lena Voorhis, Mrs. James Slater, Mrs. Robert Cox, Mrs. William Wright, Mrs. Clarence Garretson, Mrs. Samuel Moore, Mrs. Harry White, Mrs. M. Bachofer, Mrs. Howard Appleton, Mrs. Elwood Burton, Mrs. Lamont White and son Robert, Miss Josephine Markel, Miss Ruth Rothemberger.

HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To All In The Various Communities

GLEANED BY SCRIBES

Another meeting of the committee appointed to consider the type of memorial to be gotten for the soldiers of the war from Doylestown was held when the different proposals were discussed and plans were made for investigating the only serious proposals which have been made, a memorial park and athletic field and a building.

Russell Gulick, chairman of the project committee, was directed to get all possible information relating to the park and athletic field and report at the next meeting. In addition to this it was decided to suggest to the Chamber of Commerce which has been the only organization to vote for a building — the type undesignated — by a divided vote, to present facts concerning the purposes, building cost and maintenance cost.

John M. Wiegner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Wiegner, 25 S. Fourth street, Perkasie, received his silver wings on March 11th, when he graduated as a pilot, with the rank of Second Lieutenant, at Marfa Air Field, Texas, advanced two-engine pilot school.

Several hundred persons on Saturday attended the public sale of household goods of Mrs. Ida F. Snyder, Silverdale, and exceptionally fine prices were realized. Work on alterations and improvements on the dwelling and barn on the formation 25 times; he saw a cannon shell hole in the radio room so big that one gunner nearly fell out, parachute and all.

He saw things on that raid that made him very proud. Others that made him very mad. He was mad when he saw a German standing guard over a crashed B-17. He had no trouble seeing that day because Old Greer, with engines out and German fighters crowding him, was a mere 25 feet off the ground as he tore through German towns, all guns going. The Germans didn't care whether they killed their own people or not.

From where Mueller sat on this ride he had a pretty good view. He saw Focke-Wulfes charge into the formation 25 times; he saw a cannon shell hole in the radio room so big that one gunner nearly fell out, parachute and all.

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THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT
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A Tough Spot

Washington, Mar. 23. THE fourth-term candidacy of Mr. Roosevelt breaks so many records, creates so many unprecedented situations and involves so many strange possibilities that to list them all would require more space than is here available. However, there is one phase which ought not to be overlooked. It promises to carry hypocrisy far beyond the normal political limits, which are not narrow.

REFERENCE is to the presence on the same ticket with the President of at least five Democratic Senators who are anti-New Deal, anti-Roosevelt, who were anti-third term and who are supposedly anti-fourth term. They include Senator Bennett Clark, of Missouri; Senator Guy M. Gillette, of Iowa; Senator Pat McCarran, of Nevada; Senator Ellison D. Smith, of South Caro-

line; Senator Walter George, of Georgia, and Senator Millard T. Tydings, of Maryland. These, excepting Senator Clark, it will be recalled, were the Senators whom, in 1938, Mr. Roosevelt tried to purge.

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OPENLY indicting them as "reactionary" and "out of tune with the times," Mr. Roosevelt personally exerted his full strength in an effort to drive them out of public life. Though, as in the case of Senator Tydings, he actually came into his State and spoke for his primary opponent, Mr. Roosevelt signally failed in his effort. All of the Senators he tried to "liquidate" were renominated and re-elected. They have been in the Senate ever since and no Republican has been more consistently in opposition to White House policies nor has more scathingly indicted New Deal sins of omission and commission.

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IN ADDITION to all that, most of them distrust Mr. Roosevelt personally and he dislikes most of them. But now these anti-New Deal Democrats have got to run on the ticket with the President and the

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BRACKEN POST, AMERICAN LEGION, GIVES \$100 TO THE AMERICAN RED CROSS WAR FUND; BUCKS CO. REPORTS 40% OF FUND

Another well-known Bristol organization has donated \$100 to the Red Cross War Fund. The needs of the Red Cross War Fund were presented to the Robert W. Bracken Post, No. 389, American Legion, at a meeting on Tuesday night and they at once voted to contribute \$100.

Organizations are giving very generous support to the War Fund drive.

The Red Cross War Fund campaign in the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter has 43.7% of its goal of \$6,543,000 still to be attained, according to totals announced at the third report luncheon today at the Bellevue-Stratford in Philadelphia. The branches division of the War Fund, comprising 60 branches in four counties, has reached only 46.9% of its quota of \$2,280,000.

Montgomery county is leading with 48.4% of its quota reported. Delaware county following close with 45.4%. Bucks county has reported 40% of its goal subscribed, and Chester county 36.6%.

Joseph L. Eastwick, chairman of the branches division, urged contributors in the four-county area: "Don't give to the Red Cross more than you can afford, but let your heart decide whether you can afford, for instance, to help provide food for an American prisoner of war in Germany. He may be a boy shot down in a bombing expedition over Germany and now behind Nazi barbed wire. He desperately needs to supplement a deficient prison diet. The value of each prisoner of war food box packed by the Red Cross is \$3.50, and every prisoner needs a box each week. Your dollars will

CORONER'S JURY HOLDS MAN FOR GRAND JURY

C. Athas, Boston, Driver of Truck, Charged With Involuntary Manslaughter

BAIL IS FIXED AT \$500

DOYLESTOWN, Mar. 25.—On the recommendation of the jury, Coroner J. Alfred Rigby held Christo Athas, 24, 1280 Tremont street, Boston, Mass., for the grand jury on the charge of involuntary manslaughter in the death of Clarence Spanier, 18, Bucksville, in an automobile collision on September 2, 1943, on the outskirts of Bucksville. Athas was held in \$500 bail.

According to the testimony of the defendant, he was driving a truck for the Red Comet Van Company, Boston, and was on his way to Doylestown at about five p. m., on September 2, 1943, when he collided with an automobile owned by Spanier and parked on the side of the highway while he was repairing a tire.

Athas stated that he was sleepy and did not see the Spanier car until he was only about five or six feet from it. He swerved to the left and stopped on an embankment about ninety feet from the parked automobile, but was too late to avoid hitting Spanier who was working on the wheel on the highway about four feet from the edge of the paving.

It was voted to give \$10 to the Red Cross. The following nominating committee was appointed for

Michael Nicoletti Dies; Was Well Known Here

Michael Nicoletti, 7168 Hegerman street, Philadelphia, died Thursday morning in the Doctors Hospital, Philadelphia, after a brief illness. He was 60 years of age and the husband of the late Anna Nicoletti. Deceased was well known here in Bristol, having been one of the organizers of the local order Sons of Italy. He served as grand deputy of the Bristol Lodge for many years.

Mr. Nicoletti was active in political and social affairs. At the time of his death he was sector warden in the Civilian Defense. He resigned as committeeman to take a position in the Dept. of Welfare at the House of Correction.

The deceased is survived by his son, Frank and daughters, Mrs. Albert Colombo, Mrs. Charles Benincasa and Mrs. Samuel Cascarella. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral Monday morning at 8.30 a. m. from his late residence, 7168 Hegerman street. Solemn Requiem Mass in Our Lady of Consolation Church, 10 a. m. Interment St. Dominic's Cemetery under the direction of Galzerano's Funeral Service, 7158 Torresdale avenue, Philadelphia.

Courier 'Ad' Sold Puppies

Editor, Courier:
Enclosed please find check for \$1.08 for puppy "ad." All the puppies are sold, thanks to The Courier.

Yours sincerely,
MRS. WALTER J. LYTNGOE

help to give him this food.

"Can you afford," he asked, "to give an American boy a chance to sleep in a real bed at a real American Red Cross club on his furlough from fighting in mud and cold?", adding that it costs \$10 to operate an average Red Cross overseas club for servicemen for one hour.

"When a wounded American soldier is brought back to a military hospital in the United States," Mr. Eastwick commented, "can you afford to help him to train for a new skill so that he may work again in a suitable occupation? Your \$25 can pay the cost for one month of a Red Cross Arts and Skills unit in a military hospital.

"In deciding what you can afford to give," Mr. Eastwick urged, "think first what your gift will mean to our boys facing danger and discomfort in war theaters. If each individual considers this question with his heart, the Red Cross quota can be met within a few days," he predicted.

SEAMAN JAMES BELAGH IS CASUALTY IN ITALY

Former Doylestown High Pupil Adrift at Sea For Nine Hours

GIVEN PURPLE HEART

NEW BRITAIN, Mar. 25 — Although he is only 18 years old, Seaman 1/c Alexander James Belagh, who is spending a leave of 26 days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hearn Hunter, James Manor, near here, has had the experience of having been adrift in a life boat for nine hours and having been aboard a vessel when it was bombed by the enemy.

Belagh left Doylestown high school when he was 17 years old to enlist in the Navy about 18 months ago. At the completion of his basic training at Bainbridge, Md. Belagh was assigned by the Navy Department to serve as an aerial gunner aboard a Merchant Marine vessel.

Since entering the service, Belagh has been on four voyages, the first and fourth of which provided a large amount of excitement. His first taste of real enemy action took place during the first voyage, which took him to the South Atlantic, where the vessel on which he was serving was bombed and later sunk.

Belagh and other members of the crew took to life boats, in which they remained until picked up nine hours later by a vessel from a neutral country. He and other members of the crew were placed on an island in the Azores, where they remained a month.

Finally he returned to this country, and a short time later left for his second voyage, which took him to England. Returning to the United States again, Belagh made his third trip, this time to Casablanca. There he saw a number of German and Italian prisoners. The latter, he said, seemed to be quite friendly, and glad to be out of the war.

The last voyage took him to Italy, and while his vessel was in port at Bari it was bombed by the enemy on December 2, 1943. As a result of the enemy action Belagh received chemical burns of the left thigh, which required hospital treatment. He was taken to a hospital in Italy, and from there was transferred to a rest camp at Toronto, Italy, where he received further treatment.

At the conclusion of his treatment, Belagh and other wounded members of the crew were awarded the Order of the Purple Heart at the 98th General American Hospital in Italy.

Belagh, who returned to the home of his parents the latter part of last week, expects to be assigned to the United States Fleet at the expiration of his leave in about a month.

His father is a veteran of World War I.

New Postage Rates To Be Effective Tomorrow

The new postage rates, authorized in the recently enacted tax bill will become effective tomorrow. The standard 3-cent rate on first class mail remains unchanged except at the office of mailing where the three-cent stamp will be required. Under the current schedule, first class mail delivered by the office where it was mailed required only a two-cent stamp.

Air Mail rates, except for those in the United States Armed Forces, will be boosted from 6 to 8 cents an ounce and Parcel Post rates will be advanced approximately one cent a pound.

Money Order fees will start at 8 cents instead of six, and insurance and C. O. D. rates will be doubled.

THE RED CROSS - - -

This is only one of the many services of the American Red Cross:

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Sewing kits, writing paper, cigarettes, razor blades, pencils and papers — these are among the useful items in the special kits which the American Red Cross gives to soldiers embarking for foreign service, to survivors of shipwreck and to men in hospitals at our advanced bases.

It is announced by the War Fund committee of the Bristol Branch of American Red Cross that names of contributors for amounts less than \$5 will not be published.

The Bristol Branch quota is \$87,800.00.

Acknowledged Today

Harold Thompson	\$ 10.00
G. Stanley Whittemore	25.00
Mrs. Robert Shaw	10.00
Franklin Wallin	25.00
Hugh Eastburn	100.00
Mrs. Clifford Anderson	100.00
John Philip Betz	25.00
Horace N. Davis	35.00
William H. Conca	25.00
A Friend	5.00
Frederick Kring	25.00
A Friend	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. M. J. Hill	25.00
Mr. & Mrs. Harry F. Hey	25.00
Dr. James J. Fox	20.00
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Lohr	10.00
Mrs. William Stroble	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. George Bruden	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Howard Thornton	10.00
Italian Mutual Aid Society	10.00
Catholic Daughters of America, Court Bristol, No. 1097	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Roland Quinn	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. George Foster	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Carson	10.00
Mrs. Chris Johnson	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. Chester Bloomfield	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. John Doan, Sr.	5.00
Miss Elsie Ettenger	5.00
Don's Service Station	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Pratt	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Leonard Powell	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Henry B. Clay	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Driver	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Carlen	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Clinton Michels	5.00
Bernard Carlen	5.00
Mrs. Paul Barrett	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. E. Sutton	5.00
F. Doehringer	5.00
Miss Winifred Tracy	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Roy Tracy	10.00
William M. Decker	5.00
Herbert Laurence	10.00
J. C. Patterson	5.00
Mrs. Addie Johnson	7.00
A Friend	5.00
A Friend	15.00
Cash	112.72
Contributed today	\$ 794.72
Previously contributed	25,624.73
Total today	\$26,419.45

WILLS MONEY TO TWO CHURCHES, RED CROSS

Miss Emma P. Scott, of Bristol, Leaves Estate Valued at \$4,600

REMEMBERS FRIENDS

DOYLESTOWN, Mar. 25.—The Bristol Presbyterian Church, the Calvary Baptist Church and the Bristol chapter of the American Red Cross are all named as beneficiaries in the will of Emma P. Scott, Bristol, who died February 26, 1944. The Bristol Trust Company is named as executor of the estate of which the personal property is valued at \$3,600 and the real estate, consisting of a house and lot at 239 Walnut street, Bristol, at \$1,000.

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Pfc. Theodore Sosnowich returned to Fort Devins, Mass., after spending five days with his sister, Mrs. Martha Dudzik, Hayes street.

Mrs. Anna Kurko and Miss Stella Kurko, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Elecko and daughters Elaine and Carol Ann, Hayes street, attended a birthday party Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kurko, Edgely, in honor of their daughter Helen.

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Morrisville Legion Marks Anniversary

MORRISVILLE, Mar. 25 — Fifty members of Willet C. Sanford Post, American Legion, were present to celebrate the post's 25th anniversary at the post home on West Bridge street.

A feature was a huge birthday cake and the showing of photographs of the members taken during the last war, and in boyhood. An oyster stew supper was served. Russell Willoughby, program chairman, was in charge of arrangements.

A message was read from the State department commander, congratulating the post on its present membership of 123, a large increase over last year. Ten of the new members are veterans of the present war. Edward Mountford is chairman of the membership committee, and William Howell, commander.

FLEETWINGS ESTATE FORMALLY OPENS TODAY

New Residential Development Has 100 Single Brick Houses

10 DIFFERENT DESIGNS

Today marks the formal opening of "Fleetwing Estates," a residential development in Bristol Township, opposite plant No. 2 of Fleetwings, Inc.

"Fleetwing Estates" consists of 100 single, all-brick, permanent homes and is located on Bloomsdale Road, west of Bristol Pike, opposite the administration building of Fleetwings Plant, No. 2.

There are 10 different home designs from which to choose and many unique ultra-modern features have been included in them. For instance, there is a picture window which extends practically the entire length of the living room, insulation on both ceiling and side walls, modern "U"-shaped kitchen and a recreation park 100'x500' for the children.

The streets are laid out in the new "Loop Design," providing one complete through boulevard with no dead ends. Slow driving, assuring safety, is assured by the short driving blocks. There is approximately 100 feet between house fronts.

The houses are of permanent brick construction and designed so as to keep up-keep down to a minimum. The men of the house will appreciate the full basement under the entire house, providing plenty of room for work bench or rummage room.

The homes are priced at \$4990 and can be purchased on the FHA 25-year financing plan with \$590 and total monthly carrying charges of \$31.58. Of this latter amount, an average of \$14.66 each month is saved, making the net monthly cost \$16.92. A few are available for rent at \$47 monthly. Fleetwing Estates, Inc. are the developers and Frank & Woerner are sales agents. A sample home completely decorated and furnished in the latest mode is open for public inspection every day until nine p. m.

Sgt. George Kerlyn and wife, Raritan, N. J., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Johnson, Hayes street. Saturday guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Fawcett and Mrs. William Lauble, Holland, Pa. Mrs. Calvin Vanzant and daughter Nancy, George Johnson and Miss Clara Biddle, Wilmington, Del. Sgt. Theodore Kerlyn, Langley Field, Va., spent Sunday and Monday with his parents.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Moss Shatzler, Buckley street, were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bush, Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sutton, Jr., Wilson avenue.

Lt. Ralph C. Hickey and wife, Texas, spent a few days this week with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hickey, McKinley street. Lt. Hickey has been stationed at Camp Wallace, Texas, and has been transferred to Camp Lee, Va.

His father is a veteran of World War I.

LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

Heavy Fighting Continues at Cassino

Naples — Heavy fighting continues to rage in Cassino and on adjoining hillsides. Allied headquarters announced today.

The general situation, said Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson's daily communique, "remains unchanged."

Speed Up Drafting of Young Men

Washington — The nation's 6400 local draft boards speeded up delivery of young combat replacements to the armed forces today by ordering all men under 26 with occupational deferments to report for pre-induction physical examinations.

The order, issued by draft chief Louis B. Hershey, does not mean that such registrants may not be retained in their deferred status, but it will provide information on who is and is not fit for military duty.

At the same time, Maj. Gen. Hershey directed the local boards to re-examine the deferments of men from 25 through 37 years of age.

MEN TO LEAVE HERE TO JOIN THE NAVY ON SAT., APRIL 1

List Includes Representatives From All Classes of Trades

FROM MANY SECTIONS

Men Who Are To Leave Have Previously Been Inducted

Selective Service Board No. 1, with headquarters in the Bristol post office building, announced today the names of those who will leave for the Navy on Saturday, April 1st.

The list includes the following:
Stephen Jadlocki, 27, R. F. D. 1, Bristol, machinist; Paul F. Lovell, 34, Elm ave. and State rd., R. F. D. 2, Bristol, auto mechanic; Joseph Kennedy, Jr., 35, Birch and Maple ave., R. F. D. 1, Langhorne, bottler; Warren G. Pickersgill, 27, 4518 Bleigh st., Phila., radio mechanic; Lewis S. Dopsan, 24, 645 Spruce st., Bristol, mold carrier; Anthony Lombardo, 24, 519 Pond st., Bristol, bench hand; Herman Michel, Jr., 30, 101 Keystone ave., Morrisville, wax machine operator; Herman J. Wilcock, 37, Box 44, Crofton, maintenance machinist; Rufus J. Lawrence, 27, 1619 Poplar st., mailer; Lynn E. Poynor, 29, 538 Edison ave., Sunbury, operating engineer; Wilbur H. Roberts, 28, P. O. Box 823, Crofton, bus driver; William R. Peterson, 31, 3802 Harvard, Pennypack Woods, Phila., general machinist.

Nelson J. Campbell, 27, 336 Taft st., Bristol, abrasive worker; Raymond W. Lawton, 25, 2564 N. Hope st., Phila., electrician's worker; Raymond Zimet, 27, 308 Ardmore ave., Trenton, N. J., proprietor of floor covering store; Allen H. Minch, 33, Box 98, Post Office, Oakford, millwright; Maurice H. Bloodgood, 37, 125 Taylor st., Bristol, machine adjuster; Harry E. Mellor, 36, 346 Railroad ave., Bristol, rubber mill operator; John Gendek, 34, R. F. D. 1, Crofton, hosiery knitter; Richard Buma, 34, 215 Wood st., cashier and paymaster; Warren H. Schnitzel, 28, 3910 N. Dezh st., Phila., painter; George W. Shire, 23, 624 Spruce st., Bristol, truck driver; Joseph Kish, 34, Fallington, unemployed; Richard J. Graven, 33, Marion ave., Edgington, watchmaker; James P. Knoblauch, 30, Bristol Terrace No. 2, Court "D" No. 745, Bristol, tube bender's helper.

Harry E. Loessy, 30, Walnut and Fernwood aves., Box 14, Oakford, journeyman; Henry H. Kamp, 35, Main st., Tullytown, auto mechanic; Angelo V. LaFolla, 29, 207 Wood st., Bristol, tailor; Wilmer H. Stern, 30, Bristol Pike and Cedar ave., Andalusia, welder; Martin P. Meehan, 24, Bristol Pike, Andalusia, leader; Dominick A. Potena, 23, 15 Lincoln ave., Bristol, die setter and operator; Lloyd R. Whitaker, 20, Post Office, Edgington, turret lathe operator; John R. Hollingsworth, 18, Lakeside Park, N. J., truck driver; John A. Lustica, Jr

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MAN OF ACTION

December, 1941, was one of the blackest months in American history. The United States was trying to pick up the pieces left after the treacherous attack on Pearl Harbor by the Japanese. Of the eight battleships which had been the backbone of Uncle Sam's Pacific fleet, five were at the bottom of Pearl Harbor. The other three had been escorted to West Coast ports for repairs. The military and naval commanders in the Pacific had been removed.

To the famed CINPAC post—commander-in-chief of the Pacific fleet—went a man America knew little about, Chester William Nimitz. He was a very junior rear admiral, and had been jumped over 28 senior flag officers. More than two years later, America still knows little about the man who may occupy a niche as one of the great admirals of the American Navy—for administrative efficiency, for daring, for strategy, and for saying little.

For that is Admiral Nimitz's great contribution to the successes in the Pacific. He says nothing—he acts. From the December, 1941, days when he first arrived at Pearl Harbor, the old sea horse has breathed life and confidence into the Navy. Patient, unexcitable, Admiral Nimitz took over a badly flustered Navy and quietly calmed it down.

First, he fought with what he had—calm, defensive, but boldly strategic battles. As he got more he fought with more. But always the same calmness.

Today, the Japanese are the flustered ones. They don't know where the American Navy is going to hit next. And Admiral Nimitz won't talk. He seldom does. He just acts.

FEDERAL ROAD AID

In 1916, the federal government began to aid the states in building roads for market, military and post use. In 1925 the through routes marked as United States highways were designated. The federal government then began to tax motor fuel, cars and equipment. These taxes and the use tax of \$5 on passenger automobiles are still levied, even though new construction, except for military purposes, has been suspended.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 1942, the federal government levied on motor vehicles, parts and motor fuel for \$677,000,000 and returned less than one-fourth that amount to the states in the form of federal highway aid. It is still at this game of using automobile transportation as a medium for collecting exorbitant taxes for other than automobile transportation purposes.

A bill is before Congress now which calls for federal aid for a nationwide road construction program when the war is over. A few Congressmen have voiced opposition to this measure on the theory that the aid would be a government dole.

Geologists say the earth's surface is becoming dangerously thin in places. Perhaps the old girl needs a retread job.

DR. GLORIA WYSNER TO SPEAK IN CHURCH HERE

Recently Returned From Africa; Guest Speaker In Methodist Church

OTHER CHURCH NEWS

Bristol Methodist Church
Corner Cedar and Mulberry streets: 9:45 a. m., session of Church School; 11 a. m., divine worship, special guest speaker, Dr. Gloria M. Wysner, recently returned from Africa, will speak on the subject, "The Light of the World," the members of the W. S. C. S. will attend this service; 6:30 p. m., meeting of the Methodist Youth Fellowship; seven p. m., Young Adult Group meeting, Miss Irene V. Ranck will speak on "The Religions of Japan;" eight p. m., evening service, the pastor, the Rev. W. E. Preston Haas, will speak.

Harrison Methodist Church
Wilson Avenue and Harrison street, the Rev. Edward K. Knetler, pastor; Sunday services: Sunday School, at ten; Church service at 11:15; Leadership Training class, at seven; evening service, at eight.

Weekday meetings: Monday, 6:30, Boy Scouts; eight, Men's Group; Tuesday, at seven, Intermediate Girl Scouts; Wednesday, at seven, Senior Girl Scouts; Friday, at 7:30, prayer meeting; 8:30, choir rehearsal; Saturday, 10 a. m., Junior Choir rehearsal; 7:45, Youth-for-Christ Fellowship.

All members of the Woman's Society are requested to turn in their missionary mite boxes. The Finance Committee will meet this Sunday at two p. m., at the Moores, 324 Taft street.

Calvary Baptist Church
Lehman Strauss, pastor; Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Bible School, free bus transportation; 11 a. m., morning worship, our guest speaker will be Rev. W. H. Strook, Calvary Baptist's own missionary; 6:45 p. m., prayer group; seven p. m., senior and intermediate B. Y. P. U. societies will meet; 7:45 p. m., Evangelistic service, inspirational hymn singing with the orchestra, our guest soloist will be William Montgomery, who is heard each week-day morning over WPMN, the pastor will preach a Lenten sermon on "Barabas—The Choice of the People," immediately following the evening service there will be an old fashioned hymn sing and back-homes hour lasting until 9:45.

Monday, eight p. m., Calvary on the Air WTTM; Tuesday, eight p. m., special missionary service.

Bristol Presbyterian Church
The services in the Bristol Presbyterian Church on the Sabbath will be as follows: 9:45 a. m., Church School, under the direction of Adrian Bustram, acting superintendent; 10 a. m., men's Bible class, taught by the Rev. James R. Galley; 11 a. m., morning worship service, sermon by the pastor, "A Christian's Perplexities;" seven p. m., senior Christian Endeavor; eight p. m., evening worship service, the second in a series of studies in Prayers of the Bible will be presented by the pastor, "Paul's Prayer for the Ephesians."

First Baptist Church

Walnut and Cedar streets, Bristol, the Rev. L. L. Clark, Th. M., pastor; The Bible School, providing free transportation for areas around Bristol, begins at 9:45 a. m., John Weik, superintendent; morning worship service, 11 a. m., with the junior and senior choirs singing anthems, and the sermon by the pastor, entitled "The Primary Task of Churches;" B. Y. P. U., at 6:45 p. m., opens with a prayer circle and the Stewardship Commission will lead the meeting; evening worship service, at 7:45, great song service, special vocal numbers and choir, with the sermon "Fore-runners of Jesus" make up the program.

Tuesday, Junior choir practice, at seven p. m.; Wednesday, prayer and praise service, at 7:30 p. m.; the senior choir practice at 8:45 p. m.; Thursday, the Happy Bible Hour for all boys and girls of Bristol and surrounding areas, at seven p. m., with free bus transportation. Mr. Charles Weiland, a Christian commercial cartoonist, will be with us for the service; Saturday, March 25th, in the Harrison Methodist Church, the Youth For Christ Fellowship, at 7:45 p. m.

CHRIST CENTERED YOUTH MEETINGS

COME! BRING A FRIEND!
EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT AT 7.45

SPEAKER THIS WEEK:
MR. ELWYN STAFFORD

Senior at Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary and a Graduate of Wheaton College

YOUTH FOR CHRIST FELLOWSHIP
WILSON AVENUE AND HARRISON STREET

St. James' P. E. Church
Services, Sunday, March 26: Eight a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., Church School and Bible classes; 10:45 a. m., morning prayer and sermon.
Mother's Guild meets Tuesday at the parish house; Daughters of King meets Tuesday evening at home of Mrs. Headley; Thursday evening, eight p. m., Lenten service at church.

Bristol Nazarene Tabernacle

Regular services of the Church of the Nazarene are being held in Trades Hall on Wood street; minister in charge, John W. Maybury; Public worship to God, Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, with message on topic, "The Unknown Woman Guest;" Sunday night service starting at 7:45 p. m., with good singing and a sermon by the pastor, "The Edict of Our Lord."
Thursday evening at 7:45 p. m., prayer and praise service. Radio broadcast on Sunday evening, 6:30 to seven p. m., "Nazarene Hour," station WTNJ.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

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President has not run with them. What will they do in the campaign and what will he do? It is an interesting question, and so far as Mr. Roosevelt is concerned it can be answered without trouble. He will take all these anti-Roosevelt Senators to his bosom. They will have his blessing. Being on the ticket with them makes the difference. In 1933, if they had been licked it not only would not have hurt him. It would have helped him by increasing his political prestige and demonstrating the danger of opposing his wishes.

BUT, this time if they are licked, he most likely will be licked with them. Accordingly, we have Mr. Roosevelt's hand-picked national chairman and campaign manager, Mr. Robert Hannegan, strongly urging Senator Gillette to run (right after Mr. Gillette has reiterated his opposition to a fourth term), promising him full support, heaping praise upon him. And we have the President, through one of his aides, sending word to one of these Senators whom he tried to ruin politically of his earnest personal hope that he will be nominated. This makes the President's position clear. He does not have to do anything else. His attitude toward Mr. Gillette as made plain by Mr. Hannegan, his spokes man, is his attitude toward the others. No public statement is required and none will be made.

BUT, WHAT of the Senator's situation? It is taken for granted that all of them (except Senator Clark, who, though he was against a third term, now seems inclined the other way) will oppose the fourth nomination no matter how futile the opposition may be. Not to do so would be craven, indeed. Senator Gillette has already declared his opposition. But, what about after the nomination is made? Certainly, their situation will be none too pleasant. If they come out in favor of the Roosevelt re-election they obviously do so for personal and selfish reasons. It would amount to stultification. It would invite their opponents to quote from their record and speeches. It would open them to charges of hypocrisy and insincerity. And it would lose them votes of anti fourth term and anti-New Deal Democrats who would feel sold out.

ON THE other hand, if they come out against the Roosevelt re-election, they will make their position on the same ticket uncomfortable and illogical. They will also invite the resentment of the New Dealers, the Communists, the CIO leaders and the Federal jobholders, though some of these they are bound to lose anyhow. Either way, the Senatorial candidate is sure to lose votes and the painful thing is there is no way of telling which course will be the more costly. Of course, there is another alternative open to these Senators. They can go through the campaign without mentioning the President. They can discuss the issues, stand on their own record and ask re-election without either endorsing Mr. Roosevelt for re-election or opposing him.

volt for re-election or opposing him. There is the possibility that in doing this they may incur the resentment of both sides and lose more surely than in any other way. And, certainly, they will be exposed to some embarrassing heckling. On the other hand, it seems the most self-respecting course open to them. They would at least avoid stultifying themselves. Such a course would be equivalent to announcing opposition to the fourth election without saying so. It would not be very fearless, but it would be about as fearless as anyone has a right to expect a candidate seeking re-election to be.

IT would be more fearless and sincere than most of them are. Considering politics and politicians, it is a little too much to expect these Senators openly to oppose the head of the ticket when they are on the ticket. It is, of course, possible that one of them may do that. It is even possible that he might do that and be elected. But, the second would be as much a surprise as the first.

INDIANTOWN GAP—(INS)—Imagine the surprise of Dominic Romano, a member of an Army port battalion, when an old man approached him as he worked at the port of Naples and introduced himself as his uncle. The incident was related by the "King Post," organ of the transportation corps unit training center at the Indiantown Gap military reservation.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

All copy must be received not later than 10 a. m., for publication on that day. Minimum cost, 30 cents. When insertions are not consecutive, one-day rate applies.

Announcements

In Memoriam

TAYLOR—In memory of our mother, Elizabeth A. Taylor, who passed away March 25, 1942. To a beautiful garden our mother has gone.

To the land of peace and rest. Her work well done and the setting sun. Has sealed her life's request. She has left this earthly garden for a land beyond the sea. Though she passed away she still lives on. In our gardens of memory.

Sadly missed by her SON, SON-IN-LAW & DAUGHTER.

In Memoriam

TAYLOR—In loving memory of our mother, Elizabeth A. Taylor, who passed away March 25, 1942. Today recalls and memories of a loved one gone to rest. And those who think of her today. Are the ones who loved her best.

Sadly missed by her daughters, BEATRICE & FLORENCE.

Funeral Directors

A CONVENIENT PLAN—For moderate funerals. William I. Murphy Est., 316 Jefferson Ave., Bristol, Pa., phone 2417.

Strayed, Lost, Found

LOST—Ice cream container, No. 2, belonging to Greenwood Dairies, S. Langhorne, Pa. Please notify same. Phone Lang. 2352.

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Automobiles for Sale

BEFORE YOU BUY—That used car, look at our selection. Simpson Chevrolet, Inc., 222 E. Bridge St., Morrisville, Pa.

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HAIRDRESSERS, 2—Full time. Excellent salary, or part time to suit your convenience. Apply Ida's Beauty Salon, 311 Mill St.

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JANITRESS—Colored—no experience necessary. Periodic increases. Apply at Wilson's Distilling Co., Green Lane, Bristol.

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TRACTOR AND TRAILER OPERATOR—Better than union wages. Farrugio's Express, Phone Bristol 2953.

LABORERS—Colored & white. Permanent or temporary. No shift or Sunday work. Persons engaged in war work need not apply. Wilson Distilling Co., Inc., Bristol, Pa. Interviews 9:30 a. m. to 3:30 p. m.

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IF YOU HAVE A POSITION—For a reliable elderly man, with a stiff knee cap, write or call at 320 Market street.

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Wanted—To Borrow

WANTED—\$1,000 mortgage at 6% on new property. Write Box No. 32, Courier.

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PUGS—Duroc Reds, 6 wks. old. Apply Anthony Lancaster, near electric sub-station, Emile.

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LARGE OAK REFRIGERATOR—Hill box, with Frigidaire unit. Also, 8 burner gas stove. Both suitable for restaurant. Apply at Delaware House, Radcliffe St., at Mill.

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HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Odds and ends. Phone Bristol 2185.

Specials at the Stores

WALLPAPER—Complete room lots for any room in the house, size 9x12, \$1.15, incl. sidewall, ceiling & border. Chas. Richman, 315 Mill.

Merchandise for Sale

Wanted—To Buy

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID—For scrap iron & metal, junk cars and trucks. Used auto parts for sale. Crawford's, Bath Road at Midway. Phone Bristol 3168.

WANTED—A small radio for a soldier. Reas. price. Phone 563.

Real Estate for Rent

Apartments and Flats

APT.—5 rms. & bath, 1st floor. 301 Dorrance. For information apply at above address.

COR. MILL & POND STS.—Apt. 2nd fl. from. Apply to A. W. Vanderrift. Phone 2632.

Houses for Rent

WINDER VILLAGE—House, 5 rms. & bath. Garage, \$45. month. Immed. poss. Tryon's Agency, Cedar & New York Aves., Croydon.

Wanted—Pasture

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Houses—Sale or Rent

WASHINGTON ST., 229—7 room brick corner property, oil heat, hardwood floors. Apply above address.

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ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Anna M. Smyth, late of Middletown Township, Bucks Co., Pa.

Letters Testamentary in the above Estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having legal claims to present the same within the delay.

MARY R. NOWELL, Executrix
Langhorne, Pa. R. D. 2.
HUGH B. EASTBURN, Attorney
Bristol, Pa. 2-26-6tow

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Katherine T. Seigel, deceased, late of the Borough of Bristol, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims to present the same within the delay.

MAX R. SEIGEL, Executor
Bristol Pike, Edgely, Bristol R. D. 1, Pa. or to his attorney.

JOHN LESLIE KILCOYNE, Esq., 505 Bath Street, Bristol, Penna. 2-26-6tow

NOTICE

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to an order made by the Court of Common Pleas of Bucks County, in partition proceedings, wherein William J. Kornfeld and Alvina P. his wife, are plaintiffs, and West W. Ford is defendant, will be sold at public sale on the premises in Bristol Township, in said County of Bucks, on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1944, the following described real estate: The following certain lot or piece of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, owned and Delaware Street, Croydon, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, described as Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, on the Plan of Lots of Croydon Annex No. 4, recorded in the Recorder's office in and for the County aforesaid in Plan Book 1, page 122.

The improvements are a large and convenient frame house, 1 1/2 stories high, four rooms, bath and kitchen on the first floor, attic on the second floor, Artesian well, electricity and hot water heat.

Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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The next two years: Mrs. Charles Rowe, Mrs. Arthur Blaker and Mrs. Leroy Smith. They will report at the April meeting and the election will take place in May.

Mrs. Parsons announced that the next meeting would be held at her home on Tuesday, April 11, at 2 p. m. A hobby show would be held at that time instead of the "Pageant of Shawls," which had to be postponed on account of illness. She also said that a card party for the benefit of the club would be held at the annual luncheon meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Rowe on May 9th.

Kaiser Hopes To Remain President of Brewster

Henry J. Kaiser said yesterday his future with the Brewster Aeronautical Corp., which is turning out fighting aircraft for the Navy, lay with "500 stockholders of the company."

Mr. Kaiser, president and chairman of the board of directors of Brewster, declared he would like to remain at the helm of the aircraft concern with plants in Johnstown, near Hattboro, and Long Island City, N. Y.

"It is up to the stockholders of Brewster to decide if they want me to continue to lead the company," he said following a tour of another of his plants, Fleetwings, Division of Kaiser Cargo, Inc., near Bristol. He inspected the Fleetwings plant and dedicated a new housing project, Fleetwings Estates, a village of 100 brick homes, near the plant.

"Brewster stockholders will hold a meeting on May 17 and I will attend the session," stated Mr. Kaiser. "The Johnstown plant is now producing Navy planes at better than production schedule and will continue to do so."

"Contract problems with the company prior to 1940 with the Navy and other interests can be straightened out and should be handled by someone who will adequately iron out the situation," he continued.

Speaking of post-war problems in industry, Mr. Kaiser said, there are tremendous possibilities in post-war work, including aviation, of which at the present time only the surface has been scratched.

"America needs men with vision, with faith in the future and leadership. As I see it it is all one problem, labor, management and Government working together."

Miss Jean Corbett Given Party by Friends

A group of friends gave Miss Jean Corbett, Buckley street, a party on Wednesday evening at her home. The evening was enjoyed dancing and playing games, followed by a delicious repast served at midnight.

Those attending were: Misses Florence Paletta, Mary Jane Bracken, Margaret Woods, Dorothy Stackhouse, Frances Hoffman, Dorothy Herring, Alberta Wicks, Natalie Mari, Dorothy Mills, Constance Spinallela, Jean Dugan, Florence Heller, Betty Corbett, Robert McKay, Earl Hampson, Frank Flum, Joseph Elmer, Dominic Oriolo, Charles Fisher, Earl Vetter, Dominic Fields, Robert Bow, Horace Saxton, John Rodgers, Richard Potts, Francis Davis, Edward Small, Lewis Mari, Joseph Steinberg, George McKay, George Patterson, Jr., Pvt. Lawrence Ritter.

Gives Party for Son Who Joins Marines

Mrs. Elizabeth Lines, 227 Buckley street, gave a party Saturday evening in honor of her son, James, who enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps, and who left Thursday to begin his training.

The evening was spent playing games and dancing. Refreshments were served during the evening. James received many gifts. There were about 65 guests present. The dining room was decorated in red, white and blue and a cake also decorated in patriotic colors graced the center of the table.

TULLYTOWN

A meeting of the Service Plague Committee was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Bachofer. The committee decided to erect the plague on Sunday, April 16, and plans are now being made for special services to be held then.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morgan, Ambler, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Watson.

Mrs. Helen Nichols was a Wednesday visitor in Philadelphia.

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Mrs. Charles Carlen has been confined to her home with illness. S. 2/c Paul Anderson, Sampson, N. Y., spent the week-end visiting his family here.

Mrs. Herbert Hooley was a Wednesday visitor of Mrs. John Chase. Loretta Martini, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martini, is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bailey and daughter, Judith Ann, Bordentown, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Spangler.

Mrs. John Silvi, Sr., and Miss Lucy Silvi were Wednesday visitors in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zuchero and son are spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Monti.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Eberle announce the birth of a son, Monday, in Wagner's Hospital, Bristol. Mrs. Eberle is the former Miss Mary Zuchero. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

FALLSINGTON

Aviation Cadet Robert J. Buckalew, of Fallsington, spent a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Buckalew. Cadet Buckalew was recently graduated from the gunnery school at Las Vegas, Nev.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Satterthwaite and daughter, Thelma, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith and daughter, Evelyn Mae, of Penna Manor, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Satterthwaite, Bristol. The occasion was Charles Satterthwaite's birthday anniversary.

Theresa Amadio Dies; Ill Only One Week

Theresa Amadio, 327 Washington street, died last night after a week's illness. The deceased was born in Bristol and resided here her entire lifetime. She attended St. Ann's parochial school and later was employed by Fleetwings.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlo Amadio; Mrs. Henry Perotti, Philadelphia; Catherine, Anna and Mary, of Bristol; and Corp. Carlo Amadio, U. S. Army, stationed in New Mexico; and Sgt. Dominick Amadio, Ft. McClelland, Ala.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Army's "Unsung Hero" Receives Recognition

By Suzanne Flick
(U. N. S. Staff Correspondent)
MIDDLETOWN, Mar. 25 (INS) — The Army's "unsung hero," the soldier-mechanic, has at last received the recognition due him, according to information received from abroad by the Middletown Air Service Command.

He's the man who stays on the ground to keep planes in the air, the fellow in the green fatigues and tight-fitting cap with upturned brim who repairs bombers under almost impossible conditions. Sometimes, the air depot disclosed, he has to work under fire with only the tools on his person. Often he must resurrect his own spare parts from a junk heap of previously wrecked airships before he can get a plane back into fighting shape.

Officers returning from the African field told of one member of the ground force who through sheer ingenuity sent 12 fighter planes back into the sky within 36 hours after they all landed with cracked rudder brackets. He was Corporal John Raygoza, of Los Angeles, a former owner of an old jalopy he said he used to patch with "chewing gum, string and old bolts."

When no replacements could be found on the base and it looked as if the planes would have to be grounded until spares could be shipped from the United States, Raygoza volunteered to try his hand at producing them on the spot. He stripped aluminum from wrecked French ships and melted it together with two per cent copper and five per cent nickel in an old French furnace.

Gasoline Rationing Protected Much Game

HARRISBURG, Mar. 25—(INS)—Gasoline rationing may work a hardship on motorists, but it proved

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a Godsend to Pennsylvania game. The State Highways Department announced a decrease of nearly 2000 in the number of wild animals and fowl slain by automobiles during the past year.

Secretary of Highways John U. Shroyer reported that 12,365 animals and birds were run over in 1942 and only 10,999 in 1943. Rabbits, as usual, headed the list with a total of 7155 killed, while skunks ranked second and opossums third.

Other animals destroyed included, in decreasing order, woodchucks, squirrels, ringneck pheasants, muskrats, porcupine, raccoon, weasels, grouse, deer, wood cocks, foxes, quail, mink and bears. Snakes, hawks and owls had the least fatalities.

Shroyer said that the report was particularly encouraging during the present period of manpower shortage when removing animal carcasses was another burden on road workers.

"Furthermore," he continued, "it creates a certain economic loss from wanton slaughter of animals and fowls. Again, where they are not removed promptly, they may be the cause of accidents due to vehicles diverting from their regular course to avoid running over dead bodies."

HARRISBURG—(INS)—Gov. and Mrs. Edward Martin will entertain commanding officers of military posts in the Harrisburg district and their wives at a dinner in the executive mansion April 1. The chief executive is a retired major general.

SCRANTON—(INS)—Germans are hopefully awaiting the arrival of the American army, says Bishop Joseph P. Padewski, former head of the Polish National Church in

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY Deaths

NICOLETTI—At Philadelphia, Pa., Mar. 23, 1944, Michael, husband of the late Anna Nicoletti. Relatives and friends and members of all organizations of which he was a member are invited to attend the funeral on Monday at 8:30 a. m. from his late residence, 7168 Hegerman St., Phila. Solemn Requiem Mass at 10 a. m. In Our Lady of Consolation Church, Tacony. Interment St. Dominick's Cemetery.

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Write, phone or come see our hatchery.
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Poland, upon his return to Scranton from 18 months internment in a Nazi prison camp. Both civilians and soldiers expressed fear of the Soviet army, he added.

CARLISLE BARRACKS—(INS)—The lives of many soldiers are saved through the speed of administering early treatment on the front lines, says Capt. Herbert H. Thomas, of Huntsville, Ala., a medical officer back from action in North Africa and Sicily.

SANDTS EDDY—(INS)—Police scented a murder when they found bloody clothes lying on a Delaware River bank at Sandts Eddy. Inquiry disclosed that they belonged to a boy who killed a skunk too late and diverted himself of his garments after skinning the animal for its fur.

STATE COLLEGE—(INS)—A psychological film library has been added to the audio-visual aids service of Pennsylvania State College. The films will be made available to the public through rental or purchase.

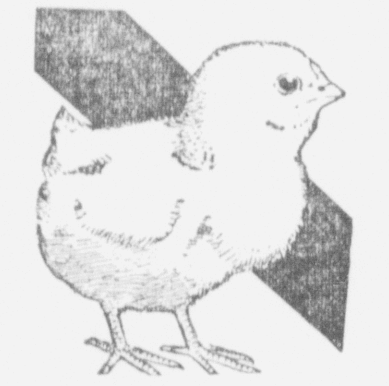
BROWNSVILLE—(INS)—Is peace on the way? They think so at the Monongahela Memorial Hospital. Records for the first year of the war bore out the common belief that more boys than girls are born during times of war. During ever, girl babies are now outnumbered the second year of hostilities, how-bering boys.

Mrs. Paul Crammer, Trenton, N. J., spent Wednesday visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woolman, 521 Locust street.

Wills Money To Two Churches and Red Cross

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Several children of friends are left small amounts in trust until they are of age. The Bristol Presbyterian Church is to receive \$500, the Calvary Baptist Church \$300, and the residue of the estate is bequeathed to the Red Cross. The will is dated May 3, 1940.



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Downs Ten Planes But Nearly Crashes

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So Mueller, picked off the Nazi guard, saw him drop to the ground. Greer kept flying. Ironically his ship proved a decoy for the German fighters that fired on him as he raced through the streets so low that his boys could see civilians frozen still in bewilderment. The boys kept strafing.

But the view seemed doomed to be cut off. Unhappily the pilot called to his boys to get ready for a crash landing. "Get ready to run like hell, too," Greer called through the intercom.

"Of course we were all scared for a minute or two," Mueller said. "Then when you finally make up your mind it's all over, nothing seems to matter."

"Everybody started clowning. You do silly things, too. I was supposed to be preparing for death and what did I do? After we were in the radio room getting ready for the crash I remembered I'd left a pack of cigarettes in the tail and went back and got them!"

"Wade, our left waist gunner, was exclaiming, 'My, My, Mrs. Wade's about to become a millionaire—' but Mrs. Woodrow Wade of Henderson, Texas, is still happily

drawing her allotment from her favorite gunner's pay."

The ME-109s were still hot on the trail. Old Greer began to feel contempt for them as they made bold turns into the Spirit of '44 and then turned out of the Fort's fire. "We'll get the next Welsber that does," Greer called out, and surely enough they did for a total of 10.

Greer knew that every man in the air feels hope as long as there's motion and he decided to keep that hope—and its significance—alive. Unexpectedly he called through the intercom that he was going to keep on.

Mueller called back, "Atta boy, let's keep flying."

That was the only comment on Greer's decision. Every man beat it out of the radio room and back to his guns.

Somewhere in England Old Greer made a beautiful landing. He found as he left the cockpit that he had made the trip seated on a pamphlet, courtesy of the Government, entitled: "This Is Your Opportunity."

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